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# *Weekly* MORBIDITY REPORT

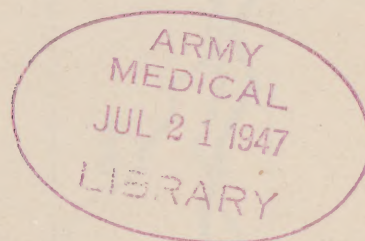
SHORE STATIONS IN CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



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# ADMISSION RATES—ALL CAUSES AND RESPIRATORY DISEASES

CONTINENTAL LIMITS OF THE UNITED STATES—1944, 1945, 1946





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CURRENT TRENDS

Week ending 29 June 1946

The admission rate for All Causes continues its downward trend, reaching 527, a new low point for the year. This is about 2% lower than the figure of 537 reported last week, and compares with 585 for the corresponding period last year. The 6th District is highest, with a rate of 793, while the Potomac and Severn River Commands are lowest with 280. The biggest improvement of the week was registered by the 13th District, with a 28% reduction to 457.

Total Respiratory Diseases likewise show a further decline to the lowest point of the year to date. The current rate of 83.7 is compared with 90.4 last week and 138.0 a year ago. The 5th and 9th Districts, with rates of 135.1 and 133.7 are the only districts over the one hundred mark, and even here the current rates are 9% and 20% below the rates of last week. It is apparent that the general picture with regard to respiratory disease is favorable.

CATARRHAL FEVER AND INFLUENZA. The current rate for these diseases is 39.3, which is 10% lower than last week's rate, and less than half the 87.1 which prevailed a year ago. The 5th District is highest, with 66.8, while the Potomac and Severn Commands are low with a rate of 10.0. The second highest rate is in the 9th District, but here as well as in the 5th District, the current rate is an improvement over the previous week.

PNEUMONIA, BRONCHO AND LOBAR. The rate for these diseases stands at 1.6, compared with 0.4 last week and 2.0 a year ago. While this week shows a considerable percentage increase over the previous week, the rate is not out of line with last year's experience. The number of cases involved is so small that variations of a few cases from week to week make an appreciable change in the rate. The highest rate, 3.7, occurred in the 7th District, but represents only two cases. Five districts had no cases this week.

PNEUMONIA, ATYPICAL. This week's rate of 1.7 is slightly below the 1.8 reported last week, and compares with a rate of 2.0 a year ago. The distribution is spotty, with seven districts reporting no incidence. The 5th District is highest with a rate of 5.4; the 5th and 11th Districts combined account for 80% of all cases in the United States. In this disease, as in the case of broncho and lobar pneumonia, the total number of cases involved is not alarming.

TONSILLITIS AND PHARYNGITIS. There is a 7% improvement in rates for these diseases, the current figure of 41.1 comparing with 44.2 last week and 47 last year. The 9th and 5th Districts lead, as is true for catarrhal fever and influenza, with rate of 75.6 and 60.6. The present rates, however, represent improvements of 31% and 11% in these districts. Of the districts that showed increases in rate this week, none was as high as the average last week.

SCARLET FEVER. The rate shows a decline from 4.9 last week to 3.5, the lowest rate of the year, which compares with 5.0 a year ago. Six districts report no incidence. The highest rate is 10.7 in the 9th District. In the 5th District, where the rate was 17.4 last week, a decided improvement is noted, bringing the current rate there to 4.6.

MEASLES. After an unusually prolonged high level of incidence, the rate for measles has fallen steadily in the past few weeks and now reaches 2.6, the lowest rate of the year, though still above the 2.0, that prevailed a year ago. Last week the rate was 3.4. Only five districts report any incidence, and 72% of the cases in the entire country occurred in the 9th and 11th Districts, where the rates were 6.8 and 6.9, respectively.



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## NAVAL DISTRICTS AND SHORE STATIONS

(Annual Admission Rates Per 1000 Strength)

NAVAL DISTRICT AND STATION	TOTAL ALL CAUSES	RESPIRATORY DISEASES						SCAR- LET FEVER	MEASLES
		TOTAL	CAT. FEVER ACUTE	INFLU- ENZA	PNEUMONIA		TONSIL- LITIS & PHARYN- GITIS AC		
					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
TOTAL ALL NAVAL DISTRICTS	527	83.7	38.9	0.4	1.6	1.7	41.1	3.5	2.6
First Naval District	709	89.9	48.6	0	0	0	41.3	2.4	0
Third Naval District	553	64.2	16.5	0	1.6	0	46.1	1.6	1.6
Fourth Naval District	543	77.0	50.1	0	0	0	27.0	0	0
Potomac & Severn River Commands	280	21.0	10.0	0	1.1	0	10.0	0	0
Fifth Naval District	597	135.1	66.8	0	2.3	5.4	60.6	4.6	3.8
Sixth Naval District	793	43.3	28.8	0	2.9	0	11.5	0	0
Seventh Naval District	355	66.6	25.9	0	3.7	1.8	35.1	0	0
Eighth Naval District	505	39.5	16.3	0	0	0	23.3	0	1.2
Ninth Naval District	692	133.7	51.4	3.9	2.9	0	75.6	10.7	6.8
Eleventh Naval District	573	93.6	46.8	0	2.5	3.7	40.6	8.1	6.9
Twelfth Naval District	392	88.6	45.5	0	0	0.8	42.3	0.8	0
Thirteenth Naval District	457	50.1	17.7	0	0	2.9	29.5	0	0
TOTAL FIRST NAVAL DISTRICT	709	89.9	48.6				41.3	2.4	
NAS Brunswick Me	656	43.7					43.7		
NavSta Portland Me	728								
DistHdqtrs Boston Mass	118								
USNPersSepCen Boston Mass	2150	226.3	226.3						
MRS Boston Mass	1444	245.3	190.8				54.5		
NavShipyds Boston Mass	703	93.8	46.9				46.9		
NH Chelsea Mass	356	59.4	59.4						
NAS Squantum Mass	200								
NROTC&V-12Unit Hanover N H ##	344	86.0					86.0	86.0	
NavPrison Portsmouth N H	797	106.3	26.6				79.7		
NTS Newport R I	743	141.4	53.0				88.4		
NAS Quonset Point R I	627	41.8					41.8		
Stations Under 500 Strength	402	48.7	30.5				12.2		
TOTAL THIRD NAVAL DISTRICT	553	64.2	16.5		1.6		46.1	1.6	1.6
NavV-12Unit New Haven Conn #	193								
SubBase New London Conn	694							13.9	
NAD Earle N J	770	226.5					226.5		
NAS Brooklyn N Y	424	212.1	30.3		30.3		151.5		
ArmGrdCen Brooklyn N Y	510	35.2					35.2		
MRS Brooklyn N Y	640	99.6	28.5				71.1		14.2
NavShinYd Brooklyn N Y	235								
USNPersSenCen Lido Beach N Y #	856	59.0	39.4				19.7		
DistHdqs NYK	467	71.8	35.9				35.9		
NH St Albans N Y	528	308.0					308.0		
NavCen Sampson N Y	104								
NH Sampson N Y #	451								
NavBerthFec Tompkinsville N Y	453								
Stations Under 500 Strength	410	17.8	17.8						
TOTAL FOURTH NAVAL DISTRICT	543	77.0	50.1				27.0		
NAS Atlantic City N J	271	67.8	33.9				33.9		
NAS Lakehurst N J	460	115.0	38.3				76.6		
NSD Mechanicsburg Pa	602	200.8	100.4				100.4		
NavHosp Phila	634	111.9	111.9						



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		TOTAL	CAT. FEVER ACUTE	INFLU- ENZA	PNEUMONIA				TONSIL- LITIS & PHARYN- GITIS AC.
					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
4th ND--Cont'd.									
NavRecSta Phila	658	50.6	16.9				33.8		
NavShipyd Phila	296	18.5	18.5						
NAS Willow Grove Pa	411								
Stations Under 500 Strength	938	152.1	126.8				25.4		
TOTAL POTOMAC RIVER COMMAND	261	18.8	10.0		1.3		7.5		
<del>NAS Annapolis Md</del>	<del>217</del>	<del>36.2</del>	<del>141.3</del>				<del>141.3</del>		
NavResLab Anacostia D C	217	36.2					36.2		
MarBks Washington D C	495	141.3					141.3		
NavDisp NavDept Wash D C	169	8.9	8.9						
NavGunFac Washington D C	280								
NRS Washington D C	494	13.0					13.0		
NavHosp Bethesda Md	571	51.9					51.9		
NAS Patuxent River Md	438	59.2	59.2						
MarBks Quantico Va	64								
Stations Under 500 Strength	444	20.2			20.2				
TOTAL SEVERN RIVER COMMAND	421	37.5	9.4				28.1		
USNA Annapolis Md	424	38.6	9.6				28.9		
Stations Under 500 Strength	321								
TOTAL FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT	597	135.1	66.8		2.3	5.4	60.6	4.6 3.8	
NH Bainbridge Md	1228	327.6	245.7			81.9			
USNPersSepCen Bainbridge Md	1464	26.6	26.6						
NTC Bainbridge Md	830	349.1	160.5		5.6	8.4	174.5	16.9 14.1	
USMCAB Cherry Point N C	(No Admissions)								
Camp Lejeune New River N C	462	27.2	21.7				5.4		
PhibTraBase Little Creek Va	751	30.7					30.7		
NAB Nor	374	59.1	34.4		4.9		19.7		
NH Nor	302	100.8	100.8						
NReTraCom Nor	353	185.7	11.4				74.3		
NRS Nor	381	18.6				9.3	9.3		
NTC Nor	638	141.9	70.9				70.9		
NorShipyd Portsmouth Va	338	37.6					37.6		
USNPersSepCen Shelton Va	1549								
NT&DC Williamsburg Va	502	83.7	66.9				16.7		
NavMinDep Yorktown Va	471								
Stations Under 500 Strength	528	74.0	31.7			21.1	21.1		
TOTAL SIXTH NAVAL DISTRICT	793	43.3	28.8		2.9		11.5		
NAS Atlanta Ga #	491	61.3					61.3		
NAS St Simons Island Ga	378								
NRS Charleston S C	713								
NavShipYd Charleston S C	557								
MarBks Parris Island S C	1001	62.3	43.1		4.8		14.4		
Stations Under 500 Strength	301	20.1	20.1						



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					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
TOTAL SEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	355	66.6	25.9		3.7	1.8	35.1		
NAS Banana River Fla	92								
NAAS Cecil Field Fla	339								
NAS Ft Lauderdale Fla	439	73.2	36.6				36.6		
NavSta Green Cove Springs Fla ##	649	139.0	46.3		46.3		46.3		
NavAirGunSch Jacksonville Fla #	(No Admissions)								
NAS Jacksonville Fla	360	74.9	7.5		7.5	7.5	52.5		
NATTC Jacksonville Fla	323	31.3	20.9				10.4		
USNPersSepCen Jacksonville Fla	1574								
NRS Key West Fla #	73								
SubBase Key West Fla	128								
DistHdqs Miami Fla ##	97								
NAS Miami Fla	234	234.0	131.6				102.4		
Stations Under 500 Strength	760	63.3					63.3		
TOTAL EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT	309	39.9	10.3				23.9		1.2
NATTC NAS Pensacola Fla	272	16.3	5.4				10.9		
DistHdqs New Orleans La .	219	72.9	36.5				36.5		
NAS New Orleans La ##	493								
NavRepBase New Orleans La	815	34.7					34.7		
NTC Gulfport Miss ##	94								
USNPersSepCen Norman Okla	1402	58.4					58.4		58.4
USNPersSepCen Memphis Tenn	615								
NAS Memphis Tenn	85	85.5	85.5						
NATTC Memphis Tenn	391	12.2					12.2		
USNPersSepCen Cp Wallace Tex	1419								
NATTC Corpus Christi Tex	354	59.0	39.3				19.7		
NATB Corpus Christi Tex	495	45.0	15.0				30.0		
NAS Dallas Tex	972	69.4	69.4						
NavSta Orange Tex	708	101.2					101.2		
Stations Under 500 Strength	668	73.3	32.6				40.7		
TOTAL NINTH NAVAL DISTRICT	692	133.7	51.4	3.9	2.9		75.6	10.7	6.8
NRS Chicago Ill	1935	84.1	84.1						
NTSch NavPier Chicago Ill	680	177.3	29.5				147.7		
NAS Glenview Ill	487	150.0	112.5				37.5		
USMCPersSepCen Great Lakes Ill	761	29.3					29.3		
USNPersSepCen Great Lakes Ill	912	63.3	25.3				38.0		
NH Great Lakes Ill	566	106.1	106.1						
NTC Great Lakes Ill	660	186.1	75.2	7.5	3.8		99.6	20.7	11.3
NAS Ottumwa Iowa	824	48.5					48.5		
NAS Hutchinson Kans	842	120.3	30.1				90.2		
NAS Grosse Ile Mich	1015	119.4			59.7		59.7		59.7
NAS Minneapolis Minn	700	63.6					63.6		
USNPersSepCen Minneapolis Minn	1579	52.6					52.6		
NAS St Louis Mo ###	1010	126.3					126.3		
Busenda Cleveland Ohio	233	99.9	33.3				66.6		
Stations Under 500 Strength	403	25.2	8.4				16.8		



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TOTAL ELEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	573	93.6	46.8		2.5	3.7	40.6	8.1	6.9
USMCDepSup Barstow Cal	825	103.0	51.5				51.5		
NH Corona Cal	306								
PhibTraBase Coronado Cal	265	24.1					24.1		
USMCAS El Toro Cal	277	34.6	34.6						
NOTS Inyokern Cal	746	74.6	74.6						
NH Long Beach Cal	616	47.4					47.4		
NAS Los Alamitos Cal	364								
USMCAS Miramar Cal	377	60.8	60.8						
MT&RC Oceanside Cal	226	18.8	9.4				9.4		
NT&DC Port Hueneme Cal	1310	124.8	62.4				62.4		
USMCB San Diego Cal	769	205.6	144.7				60.9	7.6	
NAS San Diego Cal	386	58.8	16.8				42.0		
DistDisp San Diego Cal	217								
NFSSch San Diego Cal	261	104.4	52.2				52.2		
NH San Diego Cal	434	48.2					48.2		
NHCSch San Diego Cal	1090								
NRB San Diego Cal	576	65.4	26.2				39.3		
NTC San Diego Cal	697	154.0	58.8		11.2	14.0	70.0	33.6	30.8
NAAS San Ysidro Cal	531	177.1	118.0				59.0		
NAS Santa Ana Cal	518	86.4	86.4						
NAS Terminal Island Cal	1032								
NavDiscipBks Terminal Is Cal #	548	24.9					24.9		
NavPerSepCen Terminal Is Cal	974								
NRS Terminal Is Cal	910	210.0	140.0				70.0		
Roosevelt Base Terminal Is Cal	1028	232.1	99.5			33.2	99.5		
NavShipyd Terminal Is Cal #	378	94.5					94.5		
Stations Under 500 Strength	414	57.8	28.9				28.9		
TOTAL TWELFTH NAVAL DISTRICT	392	88.6	45.5			0.8	42.3	0.8	
NAB Alameda Cal	489	61.1	40.7				20.4		
NLFED Albany Cal	226								
NavHosp Mare Is Cal	513	73.2					73.2		
NavShipyd Mare Is Cal	143	47.6	23.8				23.8		
NH Oakland Cal	608	304.1	43.4			43.4	217.2		
NSD Oakland Cal	523	87.2					87.2		
NavMag Port Chicago Cal	190								
DistHqrs San Fran	347	49.5	49.5						
NT&DC San Fran	352	103.7	59.9				43.8	1.5	
NavDiscipBks Shoemaker Cal	915	61.0					61.0		
NT&DC Shoemaker Cal	496	114.5					114.5		
NavHosp Treasure Is Cal	727	415.2	103.8				311.4		
NAD Hawthorne Nev	336	96.1					96.1		
Stations Under 500 Strength	537	30.7	15.4				15.4		
TOTAL THIRTEENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	457	50.1	17.7			2.9	29.5		
NavSta Astoria Oreg	270								
NavBerthFac Portland Oreg	748								
NavShipyd Bremerton Wash	224	63.9	31.9			31.9			



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					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
13th ND--Cont'd.									
NAS Seattle Wash	464	40.4	20.2				20.2		
NH Seattle Wash	465								
NavSta Seattle Wash	528	43.3					43.3		
NAS Whidbey Island Wash	652	163.0	97.8				65.2		
Stations Under 500 Strength	338	44.1	14.7				29.4		



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INCIDENCE OF RARE COMMUNICABLE DISEASES OF SPECIAL INTEREST

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